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Status		•						
1)	Responsive to communication(s) filed	d on .						
2a)□	•	b)⊠ This action is n	on-final.					
3)□	Since this application is in condition for allowance except for formal matters, prosecution as to the merits is							
,	closed in accordance with the practice under Ex parte Quayle, 1935 C.D. 11, 453 O.G. 213.							
Disposit	ion of Claims							
4)⊠	☑ Claim(s) <u>1-23</u> is/are pending in the application.							
	4a) Of the above claim(s) is/are withdrawn from consideration.							
5)⊠	Claim(s) <u>15-23</u> is/are allowed.							
6)⊠	Claim(s) 1,7 and 14 is/are rejected.							
7)🖂	Claim(s) <u>2-6 and 8-13</u> is/are objected to.							
8)□	Claim(s) are subject to restriction and/or election requirement.							
Applicati	ion Papers							
9)[	The specification is objected to by the	Examiner.			•			
10) The drawing(s) filed on is/are: a) accepted or b) objected to by the Examiner.								
Applicant may not request that any objection to the drawing(s) be held in abeyance. See 37 CFR 1.85(a).								
Replacement drawing sheet(s) including the correction is required if the drawing(s) is objected to. See 37 CFR 1.121(d).								
11) The oath or declaration is objected to by the Examiner. Note the attached Office Action or form PTO-152.								
Priority ι	under 35 U.S.C. § 119							
12) Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).  a) All b) Some * c) None of:  1. Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.  2. Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No.								
3. Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this National Stage								
application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).  * See the attached detailed Office action for a list of the certified copies not received.								
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1) Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)  4) Interview Summary (PTO-413)								
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## **DETAILED ACTION**

## Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 102

The following is a quotation of the appropriate paragraphs of 35 U.S.C. 102 that form the basis for the rejections under this section made in this Office action:

A person shall be entitled to a patent unless -

(b) the invention was patented or described in a printed publication in this or a foreign country or in public use or on sale in this country, more than one year prior to the date of application for patent in the United States.

Claims 1, 7, 14 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) as being anticipated by Miks et al.

Miks et al., U.S. Patent No 6,910,635 discloses a multimedia card and method of making such a card. As show in the embodiment of Figure 4, the card has a housing defined by first and second sides 46 and 47. The bottom side has one or more windows 48 communicating with the interior chamber. A plurality of contacts 20 are disposed within the chamber and exposed with in the window 48. The circuit module 12 is inserted into the card through an open end. The side 46 of the module is shown with a spacer.

## Allowable Subject Matter

Claims 2-6 and 8 - 13 are objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim, but would be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims.

Claim 15 - 23 are allowed.

The prior art, including Miks, does not disclose that the multimedia card comprises a lan grid array, that a spring clip is disposed within the interior chamber of

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the device, that there is an elongate slot, or that a portion of the substrate protrudes form one end.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Roy K. Potter whose telephone number is 571 272 1842. The examiner can normally be reached on M-F.

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